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Assignee:	Rapt, Inc.		
Title:	Method and Business Process for the Estimation of Erosion Costs in Assemble-to-Order Manufacturing Operations		
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REQUEST FOR REFUND

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Applicant therefore requests a refund in the amount of \$405.00, which is the difference between \$810.00 (the incorrectly authorized RCE filing fee) and \$405.00 (the correct small entity RCE filing fee).

If there are any questions regarding this request, please call the undersigned Applicant's attorney at (512) 439-5097. This request is submitted in duplicate.

Respectfully submitted,



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